## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE GROUP 1647 PATENT APPLICATION

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Docket No: Q77131 In re application of Daikichi FUKUSHIMA, et al. Appln. No.: 10/657,103 Group Art Unit: 1647 Confirmation No.: 3399 Examiner: Bridget E. BUNNER Filed: September 9, 2003 For: NOVEL POLYPEPTIDES, CDNA ENCODING THE SAME, AND USE OF THEM RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 **MAIL STOP AF** Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 Sir: In response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2007, please consider the remarks as submitted herewith on the accompanying pages.

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